

**Largest Employers in Marinette County.**  
**These employers provide over one half of**  
**all the jobs in the county**

Employer Name	Product or Service
Marinette Marine Corp	Ship Building & Repairing
Karl Schmidt Unisia Inc.	Carburetors,Pistons,Piston Rings,& Valves
Waupaca Foundry Inc.	Gray & Ductile Iron Foundries
Bay Area Medical Center Inc.	Gen. Med. & Surgical Hospitals
Ansul Inc.	Manufacturing Industries, NEC
Marinette Public School	Elementary & Secondary School
Stora Enso North America Corp	Paper Mills
County of Marinette	Executive & Legislative Govt. Office
Aerial Co. Inc.	Service Establishment Equipt & Supplies
Decrane Aircraft Seating Co. Inc.	Public Building & Related Furniture
Kimberly-Clark Corp	Paper Mills
Goodman Veneer & Lumber	Hrdwd. Veneer & Plywood
Badger Paper Mills Inc.	Paper Mills
Wal-Mart Associates Inc.	Department Store
Northland Lutheran Services	Skilled Nursing Care Facility
Wausaukee Composites Inc.	Plastics Product, NEC
Northland Baptist Bible College	Colleges, Universities, & Prof. School
Silvan Industries Inc.	Fabricated Plate Work
T D R Inc.	Skilled Nursing Care Facility
Peshtigo Public School	Elementary & Secondary School
Patz Sales Inc.	Farm Machinery & Equipment
City of Marinette	Executive & Legislative Govt. Office
Witt's Foods Inc.	Grocery Store
Rennes Health Center	Skilled Nursing Care Facility
School District of Crivitz	Elementary & Secondary School
Coleman Public School	Elementary & Secondary School
School District of Wausaukee	Elementary & Secondary School
Aacer Flooring LLC	Hrdwd. Dimension & Flooring Mills
Winsert Inc.	Steel Foundries, NEC
R K Management Corp	Eating & Drinking Place
North Reach Healthcare	Offices & Clinics of Doctors of Medicine
Shopko Stores Inc.	Department Store
Niagara Public School	Elementary & Secondary School
Aurora Medical Group Inc.	Offices & Clinics of Doctors of Medicine
Angeli-Marinette Inc.	Grocery Store

Source: WI DWD, Unemployment Compensation file, March 2003

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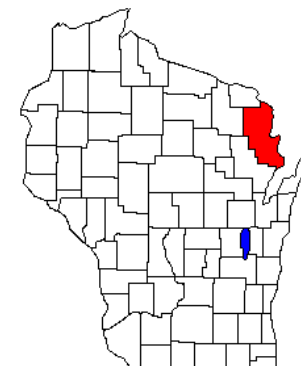
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# MARINETTE COUNTY

## LABOR MARKET TRENDS

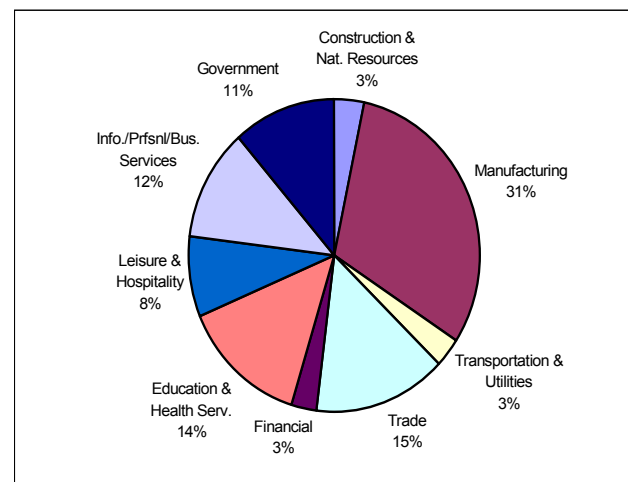


**Marinette County...**

continues to have a high highest percentage of its workers employed in the manufactur-  
 ing sector. Over 31 percent of the workers are employed in this sector, compared to  
 under 19 percent for the state of Wisconsin and less than 12 percent for the U. S. Em-  
 ployment grew in this sector grew during the 1990's, but at a slow pace due to the loss  
 of jobs in the paper industry. However, during the last several years manufacturing em-  
 ployment has decreased. Other primary sources of employment are in the information,  
 professional, and business services industries; education and health services; and trade.

Nearly one of four workers in the labor force commute out of the county for work.  
 Their primary destinations are Menominee County, MI or Brown County. Almost as  
 many workers commute to the county as nearly 5,200 enter the county for work.

**Employment by Industry  
 in Marinette County: 2002**



The average annual wage in 2002 for employers in the larger major industries was: \$39,114 in manufacturing, \$24,526 in professional and business services, and \$21,521 in trade, transportation and utilities. The annual average wage for all employers was \$29,296. This was 87 percent of the average wage for all workers in the state.

## Occupations in demand in Wisconsin Bay Area

	Top Ten Occupations	Education & Training Typically Required*	Average Wage**
Fastest Growth	Computer Support Specialists	Associate degree	\$20.38
	Computer Soft Engrs Sysms Soft	Bachelor's degree	\$23.35
	Network Sysms/Data Comm Anal	Bachelor's degree	\$23.81
	Network/Computer Systems Admin	Bachelor's degree	\$22.13
	Computer Software Engrs Apps	Bachelor's degree	\$26.61
	Database Administrators	Bachelor's degree	\$21.75
	Personal and Home Care Aides	1-month or less training	\$8.44
	Medical Assts	1-12 mo. on-the-job training	\$11.51
	Medical Records/Health Info Techs	Associate degree	\$11.62
	Gaming Services Wrkrs	Postsecondary voc. trng	NA
Most Openings	Comb Food Prep/Serv Wrk/Incl Fast	1-month or less training	\$7.38
	Cashiers	1-month or less training	\$7.50
	Retail Salespersons	1-month or less training	\$10.27
	Waiters/Waitresses	1-month or less training	\$7.11
	Registered Nurses	Bachelor's degree	\$21.98
	Customer Service Reps	1-12 mo. on-the-job training	\$14.56
	Truck Drivers/Heavy/Tractor-Trailer	1-12 mo. on-the-job training	\$17.61
	Labrs/Frght/Stock/Matrl Movers/Hand	1-month or less training	\$10.64
	Office Clerks/General	1-month or less training	\$10.53
	Stock Clerks/Order Fillers	1-month or less training	\$11.33

\* The most common way to enter the occupation, not the only way

\*\* Wages from Occupation Employment Statistics survey responses for region, 2001

Bay Area WDA includes Brown, Door, Florence, Kewaunee, Manitowoc, Marinette, Menominee, Oconto, Shawano, and Sheboygan counties.

## Wages for 40 Occupations with the most workers

in the Marinette County labor market area. Hourly wage data was collected from local employers in early 2003 for the year 2002.

Nearly 50% of all the jobs in the area are in the occupations on this list!

Occupation Title	Hourly Average	Annual Average	Hourly Pay Range	
Nursing Aides, Orderlies, and Attendants	\$ 9.67	\$ 20,113	\$ 7.71	
Retail Salespersons	\$ 9.68	\$ 20,136	\$ 5.97	\$ 57.31
Cashiers	\$ 7.31	\$ 15,209	\$ 5.74	
Registered Nurses	\$ 24.24	\$ 50,427	\$ 17.28	\$ 42.50
Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand	\$ 10.81	\$ 22,478	\$ 7.21	\$ 56.81
Customer Service Representatives	\$ 12.13	\$ 25,231	\$ 7.08	\$ 68.35
Truck Drivers, Heavy and Tractor-Trailer	\$ 16.39	\$ 34,081	\$ 10.17	\$ 38.63
Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	\$ 14.91	\$ 31,013	\$ 9.57	\$ 43.75
Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	\$ 14.84	\$ 30,857	\$ 12.06	\$ 51.29
Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks	\$ 11.32	\$ 23,551	\$ 7.47	\$ 47.24
Waiters and Waitresses	\$ 6.12	\$ 12,731	\$ 5.44	\$ 46.38
Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	\$ 9.96	\$ 20,726	\$ 6.38	\$ 46.44
Office Clerks, General	\$ 10.36	\$ 21,545	\$ 6.84	\$ 39.66
Stock Clerks and Order Fillers	\$ 9.50	\$ 19,768	\$ 6.06	\$ 44.85
Packers and Packagers, Hand	\$ 9.23	\$ 19,190	\$ 6.03	\$ 33.37
Combined Food Preparation and Serving Workers, Including Fast Food	\$ 7.54	\$ 15,683	\$ 5.78	\$ 13.91
Secretaries, Except Legal, Medical, and Executive	\$ 10.80	\$ 22,460	\$ 7.27	
General and Operations Managers	\$ 32.22	\$ 67,014	\$ 11.89	\$ 47.93
Carpenters	\$ 14.89	\$ 30,969	\$ 11.41	\$ 47.30
Elementary School Teachers, Except Special Education		\$ 45,256		\$ 25.50
Order Clerks	\$ 8.64	\$ 17,968	\$ 5.97	\$ 14.25
Electricians	\$ 20.83	\$ 43,330	\$ 13.19	\$ 45.64
Teacher Assistants		\$ 21,410		\$ 31.08
Team Assemblers	\$ 11.09	\$ 23,070	\$ 7.74	\$ 54.91
First-Line Supervisors/Managers of Office and Administrative Support Workers	\$ 20.41	\$ 42,448	\$ 10.05	\$ 34.25
Packaging and Filling Machine Operators and Tenders	\$ 12.39	\$ 25,765	\$ 9.12	\$ 29.86
Helpers--Production Workers	\$ 12.51	\$ 26,022	\$ 8.31	\$ 32.66
Truck Drivers, Light or Delivery Services	\$ 11.60	\$ 24,132	\$ 6.81	\$ 26.25
Executive Secretaries and Administrative Assistants	\$ 14.14	\$ 29,401	\$ 8.98	\$ 29.53
First-Line Supervisors/Managers of Production and Operating Workers	\$ 20.07	\$ 41,747	\$ 11.36	\$ 23.44
Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Except Technical and Scientific	\$ 24.05	\$ 50,030	\$ 12.65	\$ 29.46
First-Line Supervisors/Managers of Retail Sales Workers	\$ 14.73	\$ 30,649	\$ 7.45	\$ 27.97
Industrial Truck and Tractor Operators	\$ 12.97	\$ 26,984	\$ 9.53	\$ 37.16
Home Health Aides	\$ 8.82	\$ 18,344	\$ 7.41	\$ 30.64
Receptionists and Information Clerks	\$ 9.87	\$ 20,534	\$ 6.82	\$ 35.45
Business Operations Specialists, All Other	\$ 14.81	\$ 30,799	\$ 5.60	\$ 28.56
Shipping, Receiving, and Traffic Clerks	\$ 10.58	\$ 22,005	\$ 6.66	\$ 32.59
Tellers	\$ 9.18	\$ 19,105	\$ 7.45	\$ 34.02
Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers	\$ 14.70	\$ 30,572	\$ 10.11	\$ 37.14
Secondary School Teachers, Except Special and Vocational Education		\$ 45,025		\$ 22.77

10% of wages are lower and higher than the average pay range

hourly average not available where annual wage is shown

Survey includes data from: Marinette, Portage and Wood Counties.

## Wisconsin 1999 Average Annual Earnings by Education

